JOE FOSS
GOVERNOR

PIERRE

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, there are in the State of South Dakota, thousands of crippled children and adults; and

WHEREAS, the responsibility of giving each child a chance at health and happiness and a future means of livelihood is a responsibility we must assume to maintain both the humanitarian and economic life of our state and nation; and

WHEREAS, it has proved feasible to provide such care and treatment services through the Easter Seal Society to help dependent crippled children become independent adults and self-supporting citizens; and

WHEREAS, the necessary services for crippled children are efficiently and highly effectively administered by the South Dakota Society for Crippled Children, the Easter Seal Society in this state; and

WHEREAS, more and more services must be provided and these established, maintained despite rising costs; and

WHEREAS, the annual Easter Seal campaign of the South Dakota Society for Crippled Children is the chief source of support of its many services to the crippled in South Dakota;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Joe Foss, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the month of March, 1955, as the

MONTH FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

in South Dakota and urge all citizens to not only generously support this appeal but to learn what they can do to help crippled children as individuals.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 9th day of March, 1955.

ATTEST:

Joe Foss

. . . Geraldine Getzet . . . . . Joe Foss. . . . . .
Secretary of State Governor

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